

ELECTION TIMELINE

SOUTH CAROLINA
ELECTION COMMISSION

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every vote counts.

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September

October

→ **SEPTEMBER 21 - OCTOBER 5**
Absentee ballots are mailed to voters who applied early.

OCTOBER 2 ←

Last day for in-person voter registration.

OCTOBER 4 ←

Last day to register to vote online and to return applications by email and fax.

OCTOBER 5 ←

Last day to register to vote by mail – must be postmarked by this date.

In-person absentee voting begins at county voter registration and elections offices.

→ **OCTOBER 24**

Last day to return application for absentee by mail ballot by mail, email or fax.

OCTOBER 30 ←

Deadline to return application for absentee by mail ballot in person or by authorized representative.

→ **OCTOBER 31**

County election offices hold Saturday in-person absentee voting hours, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

November

NOVEMBER 2 ←

Last day to vote absentee in person.

→ **NOVEMBER 3**

GENERAL ELECTION.

Polls are open 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Absentee ballots must be returned before 7:00 p.m.